

REMARKS

This Amendment is submitted supplementary to the previous Amendment and in connection with the personal conference with the Examiner.

The Examiners highly beneficial cooperation during the conference has been gratefully acknowledged.

With the present Amendment applicants amended Claims 1 and 5 so as to more clearly define the present invention and to distinguish it from the prior art.

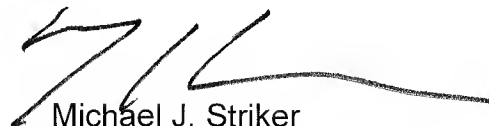
In particular, Claim 1 has been amended to define that the first lateral boundary line is a straight edge which extends from the working edge in the first radial direction with respect to the center. Claim 5 has been amended to define that the second lateral boundary line is a straight edge which stands in a second radial direction with respect to the center.

It is believed that Claims 1 and 5 as amended clearly define the present invention and also distinguish it from the prior art.

Reconsideration and allowance of the present application is most respectfully requested.

Should the Examiner require or consider it advisable that the specification, claims and/or drawings be further amended or corrected in formal respects in order to place this case in condition for final allowance, then it is respectfully requested that such amendments or corrections be carried out by Examiner's Amendment, and the case be passed to issue. Alternatively, should the Examiner feel that a personal discussion might be helpful in advancing this case to allowance, he is invited to telephone the undersigned (at 631-549-4700).

Respectfully submitted,

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